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DAKAR FOR PATRICK

E. O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PFOR, NI, US

SUBJ: FMG LIFTS BAN ON TRAVEL

REF : (A) LAGOS 10239 (B) LAGOS 10119 (C) LAGOS 9946

1; FMG HAS LIFTED INTERNAL TRAVEL BAN. MEA INFORMS US THAT OFFICIAL NOTE ESTABLISHING NEW GUIDELINES FOR ADVISING MINISTRY OF PLANNED TRAVEL WILL BE FORTHCOMING IN NEXT FEW DAYS. CHIEF OF PROTOCOL BALEWA INDICATED TO AMBASSADOR, HOWEVER, THAT WE WILL IN EFFECT RETURN TO PRE-FEBRUARY SYSTEM WHICH CALLED FOR TWO WEEK ADVANCE NOTIFICATION, NAMES OF PERSONS AND PLACES TO BE VISITED AND DATES OF PROPOSED TRAVEL. INDIVIDUALS CAN THEREAFTER TRAVEL PROVIDED MEA RAISES NO OBJECTION.

2. WITH REGARD PROPOSED VISITS OF PATRICK, SCHAEFFER AND MILLER, MEA OFFICIALS DECLINED GIVE US GO-AHEAD TODAY BUT PROMISED EARLY RESPONSE TO OUR OUTSTANDING NOTES. WE ARE HOPEFUL THAT LIFTING OF INTERNAL TRAVEL BAN WILL BREAK THE LOG-JAM AND WE CAN RETURN TO MORE REGULAR DEALINGS WITH MEA CONCERNING TRAVEL AND VISITORS.

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